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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANTS : ULRICH KOSS ET AL
SERIAL NO. : TO BE ASSIGNED
INTERNATIONAL
APPLICATION NO. : PCT/EP00/04960
FILED : HEREWITH
FOR : PROCESS OF PRODUCING C₂- TO C₄-OLEFINS FROM A
FEED MIXTURE CONTAINING C₄- TO C₈-OLEFINS
ART UNIT : TO BE ASSIGNED
EXAMINER : TO BE ASSIGNED

January 11, 2002

Hon. Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

SIR:

Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Insert as the first paragraph of the specification the following new paragraph: - This
application is a 371 of PCT/EP00/04960 filed on May 31, 2000. -

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claims 3 and 4 as follows: